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Communism Set For Cuba Schools, CIA Official Says

A high official of the Central Intelligence Agency said here Wednesday that Cuban schools recently were instructed by the Castro government to teach Communist doctrine.

This report was given to the seventh annual National Military-Industrial and Educational Conference in the Sherman Hotel by Lyman B. Kirkpatrick Jr., inspector general of the CIA.

Kirkpatrick, who said he reviews programs of the U.S. spy agency, declined to expand his brief statement on Cuba. But he emphasized that it was "exactly true" as he stated it.

The Washington official made the point in the course of discussing Communist educational efforts outside the Soviet bloc.

He said: "Perhaps we should note here in passing that the Cuban public schools have recently received an order from the government to give instruction in Communist doctrine."

Kirkpatrick said this report had not previously been made public by his agency.

The conference was in its third and final day, with its focus chiefly on education in the battle between Communism and democracy.

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